

Amendments to the Specification:

Please **replace** the paragraph beginning at page 44, line 12 with the following amended paragraph:

The present invention has been described in the context of software applications running on one or more computer systems. However, those skilled in the art will appreciate that the present invention is capable of being distributed as a program product in a variety of forms, and that the present invention applies equally regardless of the particular type of **signal data** bearing media used to actually carry out the distribution. Examples of **signal data** bearing media include: recordable media such as floppy disks and CD-ROM, **which one skilled in the art will recognize as being examples of computer readable storage media, and transmission media such as digital and analog communication links**, as well as media storage and distribution systems developed in the future.